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I am a builder and new home owners are already facing sky rocketing costs. Why are we adding to the cost of new homes when fire related deaths in new homes is down 54% from 1977-2007? Should we add them to cars too? I have put sprinklers in for clients and it costs more than they think and way more than the fire dept says it does. I guess if we stop all fires than we can get rid of the firemen-or at least some of them. Let the home owners decide if they want the cost/ verse the protection. I don't know why we are forcing somebodys way on everybody at their cost? Less people will be able to build a new home and will be forced to buy older un-safer homes. Dose that make sense? Thanks, Mike Foss